

Imperial County Pesticide Enforcement Program Statistics

	2006	2007	2008
Operator identification numbers issued ¹	92	87	103
Restricted material permits issued ¹	1,387	1,394	1,419
Permits denied ¹	164	0	0
Multi-year permits ¹	0	0	0
Total permitted sites ^{1, 2}	10,212	10,234	10,468
Notices of intent (NOIs) reviewed ¹	4,395	3,734	3,906
NOIs assessed (Pre-application site inspections) ¹	384	438	616
NOIs denied ¹	143	0	0
Pounds of pesticide applied (active ingredient) ³	4,920,495	5,050,904	3,745,293
Number of agricultural applications ³	57,178	53,279	40,926
Number of non-agricultural applications ^{3,4}	145,267	59,715	24,662
Number of all inspections ¹	841	849	1,116
Unclaimed Gas Tax Distribution ^{5,6}	\$234,632	\$204,986	\$135,015
Pesticide Mill Assessment ⁵	\$526,682	\$536,526	\$546,371

Footnotes

¹ Source: Pesticide Regulatory Activities Monthly Report (PRAMR)

² Some counties did not report any permitted sites.

³ Source: Department of Pesticide Regulation Pesticide Use Report Database; includes non-permitted sites on operator identification numbers.

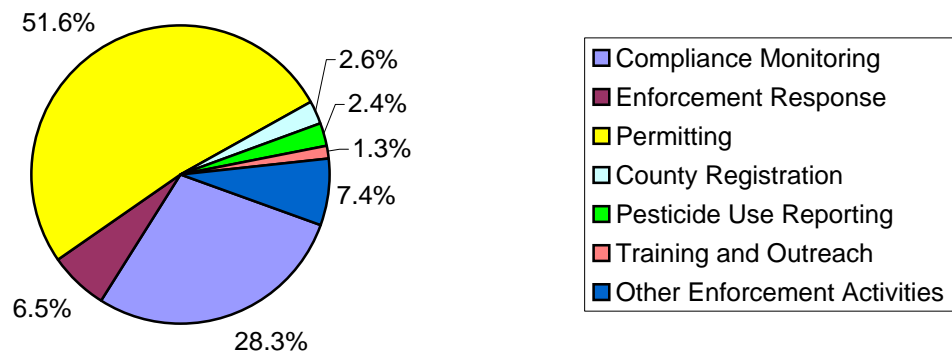
⁴ Analysis of data indicates some problems with reporting and accurately recording these figures.

⁵ Funding is on a fiscal year basis and is based on the prior year's workload.

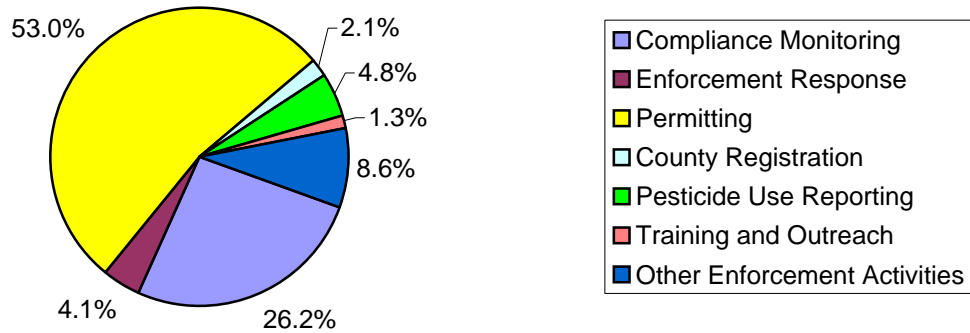
⁶ Funding is on a fiscal year basis. This amount represents 36 percent of the full amount distributed by CDFA for all 10 agricultural programs (FAC 2282) and pesticide use enforcement. The 36 percent represents the typical amount dedicated to pesticide use enforcement.

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2006, 2007, and 2008 Work Load Distribution
Total Licensed Work Hours Reported

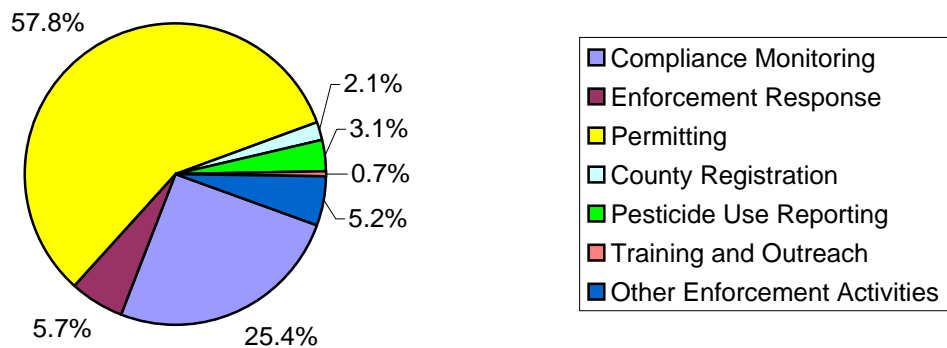
2006 Licensed Work Hours Reported



2007 Licensed Work Hours Reported



2008 Licensed Work Hours Reported



Imperial County Inspection Compliance

Inspection Type	Calendar Year 2006							Calendar Year 2007							Calendar Year 2008						
	Criteria Compliance						Inspections With a Violation	Criteria Compliance						Inspections With a Violation	Criteria Compliance						Inspections With a Violation
	Number of Inspections	Items That Did Comply	Items That Did Not Comply	Total Items	Rate			Number of Inspections	Items That Did Comply	Items That Did Not Comply	Total Items	Rate			Number of Inspections	Items That Did Comply	Items That Did Not Comply	Total Items	Rate		
Agricultural																					
Field Worker Safety	90	487	7	494	98.6%	7	92.2%	88	432	4	436	99.1%	3	96.6%	98	468	6	474	98.7%	5	94.9%
Pesticide Use - Application	161	2,812	62	2,874	97.8%	30	81.4%	167	3,057	15	3,072	99.5%	9	94.6%	168	3,078	13	3,091	99.6%	6	96.4%
Pesticide Use - Mix Load	72	1,524	17	1,541	98.9%	6	91.7%	55	1,144		1,144	100.0%		100.0%	76	1,648	4	1,652	99.8%	2	97.4%
Commodity Fumigation	2	39		39	100.0%		100.0%	2	50		50	100.0%		100.0%	1	23		23	100.0%		100.0%
Field Fumigation	19	455	4	459	99.1%	2	89.5%	20	508		508	100.0%		100.0%	20	495		495	100.0%		100.0%
Records	62	772	6	778	99.2%	1	98.4%	48	555	20	575	96.5%	4	91.7%	83	1,123	7	1,130	99.4%	6	92.8%
Totals:	406	6,089	96	6,185	98.4%	46	88.7%	380	5,746	39	5,785	99.3%	16	95.8%	446	6,835	30	6,865	99.6%	19	95.7%
Structural																					
Fumigation	3	105	5	110	95.5%	1	66.7%	1	36		36	100.0%		100.0%	2	68		68	100.0%		100.0%
Non-Fumigation Application	28	551	19	570	96.7%	9	67.9%	15	299		299	100.0%		100.0%	23	457		457	100.0%		100.0%
Non-Fumigation Mix Load	0							2	39		39	100.0%		100.0%	1	19		19	100.0%		100.0%
Records	11	150		150	100.0%		100.0%	10	138		138	100.0%		100.0%	8	106		106	100.0%		100.0%
Totals:	42	806	24	830	97.1%	10	76.2%	28	512		512	100.0%		100.0%	34	650		650	100.0%		100.0%
Overall Totals:	448	6,895	120	7,015	98.3%	56	87.5%	408	6,258	39	6,297	99.4%	16	96.1%	480	7,485	30	7,515	99.6%	19	96.0%

Imperial County Closed Compliance Actions and Closed Enforcement Actions

	2006		2007		2008	
	Hours	Numbers	Hours	Numbers	Hours	Numbers
VIII. Compliance Actions						
A. Warning Letters / Violation Notices		55		20		22
B. Cease and Desist Orders		1		2		2
C. Documented Compliance Interviews		0		0		0
Total:	280	56	123	22	284	24
IX. Enforcement Actions						
A. Administrative Action:						
1. Restricted Materials Permit		0		0		0
2. Private Applicator Certifications		0		0		0
3. County Registrations		0		0		0
4. Structural Civil Penalties		3		0		0
5. Agricultural Civil Penalties		15		17		15
B. Judicial Actions:						
1. Notice to Appear (Citations)		0		0		0
2. Cases Submitted to DA		0		0		0
3. Civil Complaints Filed		0		0		0
4. Criminal Complaints Filed		0		0		0
C. Referrals to DPR		0		0		0
Total:	693	18	400	17	563	15

Note: Compliance and Enforcement actions are not necessarily taken in the same fiscal year when the violation occurs. Additionally, some actions may be due to discovery of violations by means other than inspections such as through investigations.

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Most Common Agricultural Violations

Agricultural Elements Evaluated	Number of Violations			
	2006	2007	2008	Total
Personal Protective Equipment	14	4	6	24
Handler Training	6	13	3	22
Emergency Medical Care/Handler	16	5	1	22
Labeling - Permit Conditions	14	0	3	17
Handler Decontamination Facilities	12	2	2	16
Availability of Labeling	8	2	2	12
FLC Registered	2	3	4	9
Hazard Communication - Fieldworkers	5	0	0	5
Closed Systems	3	1	0	4
PCB/Equipment Registered	4	0	0	4

Most Common Structural Violations

Structural Elements Evaluated	Number of Violations			
	2006	2007	2008	Total
Personal Protective Equipment	6	0	0	6
Labeling - Permit Conditions	5	0	0	5
Container Control	5	0	0	5
General Fumigation Safe-Use	2	0	0	2
Service Container Labeling	2	0	0	2
Handler Decontamination Facilities	1	0	0	1
Pesticide Disclosure	1	0	0	1
Fumigation of Enclosed Spaces	1	0	0	1
Handler Training	1	0	0	1

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